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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) Unknown 10/565358
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/US2004/023269	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 21 July 2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 21 July 2003
TITLE OF INVENTION RAPID NUCLEIC ACID ISOLATION METHOD AND COMPOSITIONS		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Ashfaque Hossaine, Nancy Jo Dohse Hanson and Mark D. Reisbig		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (24) indicated below.4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected (Article 31).5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau.c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).6. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).7. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.d. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).9. <input type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).11. <input type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409).12. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210).		
Items 13 to 23 below concern document(s) or information included:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">13. <input type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.14. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.15. <input type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment.16. <input type="checkbox"/> A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.17. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.18. <input type="checkbox"/> A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.19. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.20. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).21. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).22. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Express Mail Label No. EV731141387US		

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23. Other items or information:

 Application Data Sheet, copy of International Request Form PCT/RO/101 Notification Concerning Submission or Transmittal of Priority Document, Verified Certification of Express Mailing (37CFR 1.10(c) No. EV731141387US)

The following fees have been submitted:	CALCULATIONS	PTO USE												
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<input type="checkbox"/> Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821(c) or (e) or computer program listing in an electronic medium) (37 CFR 1.492(j)). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.														
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TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =			\$ 1,280.00											
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Fees above are reduced by 1/2.			\$ 0.00											
SUBTOTAL =			\$ 1,280.00											
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Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40 per property +			\$ 0.00											
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NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the International Application to pending status.

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**VERIFIED CERTIFICATION OF EXPRESS MAILING DATE
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I declare that on January 19, 2006 I deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope as "Express Mail, Post Office to Addressee" bearing Label Number EV731141387US addressed to "Box PCT / U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 2327, Arlington, VA 22202" and having an express mail certification which I executed, the following papers:

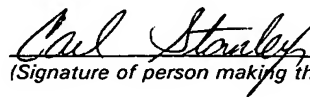
Transmittal Letter, (form PTO-1390), International Application including spec claims and abstract and drawings, Application Data Sheet, Search Report (Form PCT/ISA/210) and art, copy of International Request Form PCT/RO/101, Notification Concerning Submission or Transmittal of Priority Document and Application Fee

A copy of these papers from the file of this application is attached.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application of any patent issuing thereon.

Carl Stanley

(typed or printed name of person making this verified statement)

Date January 20, 2006

(Signature of person making this verified statement)